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| Serial No.:  | 09/748,567            | Filing Date: | December 26, 2000 |
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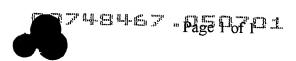
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All of the items noted below and a newly executed oath or declaration covering the items must be submitted within TWO MONTHS of the date of this Notice, unless otherwise indicated, or proceedings on the application will be terminated (37 CFR 1.53(e)).

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- The specification is missing.
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# RESPONSE AND PETITION TO NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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In response to the Notice mailed March 6, 2001, applicant submits herewith the specification, including at least one claim, of his priority application Serial No. 09/456,179 filed December 7, 1999. Entry is respectfully requested.

By applicant's original application transmittal, the above-referenced parent application was incorporated by reference in its entirety. It is therefore, hereby petitioned that a newly executed oath or declaration is not necessary. Applicant encloses herewith a check in the amount of \$130 for the required fee, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.17(i). The

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